

HOUSE BILL 1706

By Hawk

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,
Chapter 4, Part 2, relative to the issuance of
license plates to veterans.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-253(c)(4), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(4) For all honorably discharged veterans and civilian veterans of Vietnam, the center emblem shall be crossed American and Republic of Vietnam flags. In the case of honorably discharged veterans and civilian veterans who served on active duty and participated in, or directly supported, the theater of operations of the Vietnam War and were stationed outside the United States during the Vietnam War, a Vietnam Service Medal or Southeast Asia campaign medal or appropriate civilian documentation shall have been awarded to obtain the Vietnam Veteran plate. In the case of honorably discharged veterans who served on active duty in support of operations of the Vietnam War and were stationed in the United States during the Vietnam War, a DD214 form shall be submitted to the department to obtain the Vietnam Veteran plate.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.